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**NON-PROVISIONAL  
UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

**METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF LIQUID CLEANING AGENT OR  
DETERGENT COMPOSITIONS**

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which is:

- an ☐ Original; or  
a ☒ Continuation,  
of prior International Application No. PCT/EP00/05475 filed June 14, 2000.  
☐ Divisional, or ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
Anticipated Group/Art Unit: or Class, Subclass.  
☐ This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application No.,  
filed.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 8 pages.  
☐ Application Data Sheet.  
☒ Newly executed Declaration (original).  
☐ Copy of Declaration from prior application.  
☐ Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).  
☐ sheets of drawings (formal).  
☐ Transmittal Letter Accompanying Submission of Compact Disc in Accordance  
with 37 C.F.R. §1.52(e), plus two identical compact discs (for computer program  
Appendix)  
☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:  
☐ Computer readable copy ☐ Paper Copy ☐ Verified Statement.  
☒ Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention  
☒ Name of Assignee: **Reckitt Benckiser N.V.**  
☐ Certified copy(ies) of Application No(s). filed is/are filed:  
☐ herewith or ☐ in prior application.  
☐ Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under  
37 C.F.R. §1.27 as ☐ an Independent Inventor, or ☐ a Small Business Concern,  
or ☐ a Non-Profit Organization.  
☐ Preliminary Amendment.  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A, and cited references.  
☐ Request for Nonpublication of Application Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)  
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